FOREST DEPARTMENT.

Notification dated 24th July 1903.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of harvesting the grass crops in the undermentioned Forest Plantations of the Bangalore District up to 31st March 1904, will be sold by public auction on the dates and at the places specified against each plantation, by the District Forest Officer or the Range Forest Officer, Bangalore District :—

Taluk.	Name of plantation.	Area in acres.	Date of sale.	Place of sale.	Officer conducting the sale.
Bangalore ...	Jakkur Alalsandra ..	300	13-8-03	Peenya Forest Lodge.	Deputy Conservator of Forests or the Range Forest Officer, Bangalore.
Do ...	Brahmasandra .	48	Do		
Do ...	Butts Hebbal	100	15-8-03	Bangalore.	
Do ...	Kenchanahalli	77	Do		
Nelamangala ...	Machohalli ...	270	Do		
Bangalore .	Mallatahalli ...	255	Do		
Do ...	Nagarbhavi ...	250	Do		
Nelamangala ...	Krishnarajpura ...	423	12-8-03		
	Mavinakomanahalli ...	435	Do		
	Govindapura ...	48	Do	Nelamangala.	
	Kallupalya ...	106	Do		
	Kenchanpura ...	535	Do		
Do ...	Ballagere ...	400	12-8-03	Do	
Do ..	Bhairshettihalli (Gol-halli).	186	Do		
Do ...	Bommenhalli ...	174	Do		
Hoskote ...	Jodigenhalli old ...	455	16-8-03	Kadgodi.	
Do ..	Nelal A and B ...	734	Do		
...	Do C ...	486	Do		
Do ...	Appasandra ...	547	Do		
Anekal ...	Kumbarnahalli ...	135	19-8-03	Bannerghatta.	
	Kannumhalli ...	...	Do		

2. The purchaser will be required to deposit twenty-five per cent of the purchase money soon after the sale is closed and to pay the remainder within seven days from the date of sale, failing which the deposit shall be forfeited to Government and the right re-sold at the risk of the first purchaser, who will not participate in any again, but will make good any loss sustained by the Forest Department by the re-sale. License to begin collection will be given immediately after full payment of the sale amount has been made.

3. The purchaser shall hold himself responsible should any fire occur in the plantation (or any portion thereof) in which he is permitted to collect grass. Should the contractor or his men commit within his limit any forest offence, the same will be dealt with under the Forest Regulation.

4. The grass of the above plantations may be cut and removed from sunrise to sunset from the date of confirmation till the 31st March 1904.

T. ABDUL KARIM,
Dt. Forest Officer, Bangalore Dt.

COORG FOREST DEPARTMENT.

ANNUAL TIMBER SALES.

Notice dated Mercara, 24th June 1903.

Tenders will be received up to 15th October 1903, for the following quantities of timber felled and logged departmentally in the forests of the Cauvery, Hatgat and Mawkal Ranges at fixed rates varying with locality which may be obtained on application to the undersigned :—

Teak	33,000 c.ft.
Rosewood (Biti)	8,000 „
Pterocarpus marsupium (Honne)	23,000 „
Terminalia tomentosa (Matti)	18,000 „
Lagerstroenia microcarpa (Nandi)	9,000 „

2. Every tender for 3,000 c.ft. or upwards must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 100 in currency notes, covers containing tenders should be addressed to the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Coorg, Mercara, and duly registered and superscribed "Tender for Timber."

3. The Deputy Conservator of Forests will be at Periyapatam on the 15th October 1903 for the purpose of allotting timber amongst tenderers, who are recommended to be present or be represented by duly accredited agents on the occasion, when the locality of logs or other information relating to accepted tenders may be obtained.

4. The Deputy Conservator of Forests does not bind himself to allot timber for the whole or any portion of any tender, and he is at liberty to dispose of the whole or any portion of the supply available, previous to allotment, should this course prove to be advantageous in the interests of Government.

5. In the interests of fire conservancy the forests will be closed against the removal of timber in the fire season, which, it may be stated for the information of intending purchasers, is generally a period varying from 6 weeks to two months commencing from about the middle of February; but which is liable to be reduced or extended according to the character of the season. Certain depots in or adjoining the forests will, however, be set apart and remain open throughout the whole of this period for the removal of timber for the convenience of those purchasers who may choose to collect timber therein in order to avoid the inconvenience of an interuption of their transport operations during the fire season.

6. The rates and conditions of sale are regulated by Notification No. 19, dated 23rd April 1903 of the Chief Commissioner of Coorg, for copy of which or further information apply to the undersigned.

C. McCARTHY, *Dy. Conservator of Forests, Coorg.*

Notification dated the 17th July 1903.

1. Under the authority of Rule XII of the Government Notification No. 245—1300, dated the 2nd October 1901, it is hereby notified for the information of the public that the following Revenue and Forest officers are empowered to issue paid licenses for the felling and transport of timber, bamboos and firewood from the District Forests (unreserved land) of the Kadur District:—

No.	Name of officer.	Power.	Locality where the powers are to be exercised.
1	District Forest Officer.	Power to issue paid licenses for the felling and removal of timber of reserved and unreserved kinds (species), bamboos and green and dry fuel.	In the District.
2	Amildar ..	Power to issue paid licenses for the felling and removal of— 1. Timber of unreserved species. 2. Bamboos.	In his Taluk.
3	Range Officer ..	Power to issue paid licenses for the felling and removal of— 1. Timber of unreserved species. 2. Bamboos.	In the Taluks of his Range.
4	Forester ...	Power to issue paid licenses for the felling and removal of— 1. Bamboos. 2. Dry fuel.	Within his Sub-Range.
5	Any other agency that may be specially appointed under orders of the Deputy Commissioner.		

2. All the Revenue Forest and Police officers are hereby authorized to check the transport of timber, bamboos and firewood in transit.

M. G. RAMA RAO,
for *Dy. Comr., Kadur Dt.*

MISCELLANEOUS.

BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification dated 11th July 1903.

It is hereby notified that the right, title and interest of Mrs. Blake in the Jodi Sanyasihalli village of the Devanhalli Taluk, will be sold for arrears of revenue at the office of the Amildar of Devanhalli at 11 A.M., on the 20th August 1903.

The original sale notification was published on page 876 of Part II of the *Mysore Gazette* No. 29, dated 23rd July 1903.

1. It is hereby notified for public information that Jodi Mallasandra village of Bangalore Taluk will be sold by public auction at the Bangalore Taluk Cutcherry on 20th August 1903.

2. The original notification of the sale has been published on page 875 of Part II of the *Mysore Gazette* No. 29, dated 23rd July 1903.

H. H. SPARKES, *Dy. Comr.*